

MOM,

AUG 14

HOW'S THINGS? WELL I GOT BOTH OF YOUR PACKAGES. THE FIRST ONE LASTED ABOUT 10 MIN AND THE CHICKEN SEW IS STILL LEFT FROM THE SECOND. THAT GOES ON THE MENU FOR TONIGHT.

I CLOUED GAIL IN ON THE LATEST. ALL I CAN SAY IS THE WAR IS STILL GOING ON, THE SAIGON RIVER IS MUDDY, AND A 100,000 TROOP PULLOUT (NOT ME). THE WAY THEY WORK THAT TROOP PULLOUT IS ANYONE WITH ABOUT A MONTH TO GO GETS A 15 DAY DROP AND THEY PUT IN THE PAPER THAT THEY'RE ALL FROM ONE UNIT. IT'S A BUNCH OF B.S. AND THE GUYS IN THE 9TH INF. (YOU KNOW, FIRST 25,000 PULLOUT) ARE REALLY MAD. OH WELL, WAR IS HEL.

WELL, I FINALLY GOT A LETTER FROM REID. THAT THE FIRST ONE SINCE I'VE BEEN IN THE ARMY. YOU DON'T KNOW HOW HAPPY

I WAS TO HEAR FROM HIM.
I BET THAT HEATER HAS
REALLY GOT A NOOSE AROUND HIS
NECK. Oh WELL, I SHOULD TAKE
ABOUT THAT CHECK! I GOT
IT, BUT IT COMPLETELY SLIPPED
MY MIND. WHY DON'T YOU HAVE
DAD CLOSE MY ACCOUNT. I MADE
OUT THAT POWER OF ATTORNEY, JUST
FOR THINGS LIKE THAT. OK?

I SENT MOLLY-JO A POST
CARD LIKE THE ONE I SENT TO
JACK AND NATCOL. SHE SHOULD
GET A KICK OUT OF THAT. I
ASKED ONCE BEFORE, BUT IT MUST
HAVE SLIPPED YOUR MIND. PLEASE
SEND ME JACK BILLUPS ADDRESS.
I'VE GOT TO TALK TO THAT GUY.
I KNOW HE'S IN THE $\frac{1}{2}$ BUT
I DON'T KNOW WHAT COMPANY. DON'T
FORGET!

THAT PAPER (THIS PAPER) YOU
SENT LASTED 6 DAYS NOW. I
HAVE ABOUT 5 SHEETS LEFT
NOW. PLEASE DON'T WASTE YOUR MONEY